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It's very helpful to receive feedback, Kurt, so thanks. I'll share the information with Elfego and our team who wrote those parts of the memo.

Thanks,

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Hi Matt –

I am trying to heed your guidance regarding the Bay Area AQMD Annual Network Plan. I don't have any time to do a major revision, of course. I have found your guidance on minimum monitoring requirements to be quite detailed, thanks. I have some suggestions regarding Attachment A.

For ozone, I think the table should say "SLAMS" monitors explicitly – as it does for PM2.5. 40 CFR seems to specifically say "SLAMS".

For your Table 2b, PM2.5 continuous – I see no need to enter design values as they are already listed in Table 2a. Because continuous monitoring is based, for the most part, on the number of SLAMS PM2.5 monitors, it seems to me that the table should only include the information needed to discern the minimum requirement, which is the number of SLAMS PM2.5 monitors (one-half, round up).

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